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George
Stromer
PROPRIETOR

8-Inch Blooms In
60 to 90 Days.

Bloom For
6 Weeks.

Giant **HARDY PHLOX**

For Midsummer Garden Beauty

If planted in March, April or May these perennial PHLOX will grow 18 to 24 inches tall, in a few weeks, and every year after. Flower heads get to be 5 to 8 inches long, and 8 in. around, with large florets thickly clustered.



HARDY PHLOX

BRIGHT EYES. Dark red.
MARY LOUISE. White, red eye.
FLASH. Scarlet-red.
DAILY SKETCH. Pink.
ROYAL PURPLE. Blue-purple.
BLUE BOY. Blue.

PRICES
Large 2-Yr.-Old Field-Grown Plants
EACH 45c

COLLECTION A
ONE EACH OF THE ABOVE 6
2-YR. OLD PLANTS

FOR ONLY
NO DISCOUNT **\$1.49**

2 COLLECTIONS OF ABOVE
FOR ONLY **\$2.69**
NO DISCOUNT

South Michigan Nursery
New Buffalo, Michigan.

SPRING
and FALL
1954



Brilliant

New!

BRILLIANT

EVERBEARING STRAWBERRY

A New Money-Making Power

In just a few weeks from the time BRILLIANT plants are set into your soil, they will be producing big, bright, delicious berries that you can turn into a quick cash income. No need to wait a year for Strawberries or Strawberry profits! BRILLIANT starts working for you at once and continues until winter—fully 6 months of easy berry money. The plants are so SUPER-POWERED that you need not remove the first blossoms or runners. They bear on the new runners. No hard, nubby berries to waste. BRILLIANT is a 100% perfect pollinizer and matures every berry to full size, uniform shape, and even color.

BIG Returns from Small Plots

Yields of one to two quarts per plant are common with BRILLIANT, and the berries are so fancy they sell at a premium all fall. Plants can be set 12 inches apart and grown in hills to save space—or set them 1½ by 3½ feet apart and grow in solid rows. From the solid rows you would secure less berries, and from the hills LARGER and FANCIER berries. We furnish planting directions free with each order.

ACCLAIMED WORLD'S NEW EVERBEARING CHAMPION

Here is the Everbearing Strawberry that won records for BIG YIELD and PERFECT BERRIES last summer and fall. Out of tests made with seven new and many old everbearing varieties, BRILLIANT produced 7,000 quarts per acre. This test was made at an impartial Experiment Station. We claim it is destined to quickly replace all others. It is the only Everbearer that makes a solid fruiting row against all odds of weather, and keeps fruiting steadily all summer and fall.

PRICES			
25 for	\$ 3.25	300 for	\$27.25
50 for	5.75	500 for	42.85
100 for	9.75	1000 for	75.00
200 for	18.75		



Red Rich



Red Rich

RED RICH is Plant Patent No. 993. RED RICH is a hybrid of the WAYZATA everbearing variety, and FAIRFAX, and is the result of over 15,000 seedlings. It's the largest, thriftiest growing Strawberry.

RED RICH is the best everbearing variety of the day by University of Illinois tests. They say: "Of the 29 everbearing varieties we tested here last season, RED RICH is by far the best." Signed Herschel L. Ball, Assistant in Pomology.

Dr. Leon C. Snyder, Extension Horticulturist of the University of Minn. reports that RED RICH produced 60 quarts on a triple row hill system. On an acre basis the RED RICH yield was about 13,000 quarts. Plants were set 1 foot apart each way.

RED RICH is unsurpassed as a freezing berry. Firm and deep red clear through, does not mush up when thawed out. Being honey-sweet it requires little sugar. RED RICH can be frozen whole.

RED RICH is a large, rugged plant. Twice the size of any other Strawberry plant. Bugs and disease don't seem to like it at all. Starts to bear 60 days after set out and never quits till late in the fall. Red Rich will produce 3 crops in 18 months. As a dessert berry it has very high quality, honey sweet from its parent Wayzata. Extra large and deep red all the way through like its parent, Fairfax. The large size of Red Rich is maintained throughout the bearing season.

RED RICH is not fussy about the type of soil but the more fertile the better. PLANT RED RICH as a border plant in front of your Roses or other flowers, and have Strawberry blooms as well as fruit all summer and fall.

RED RICH PRICES			
25 for	\$ 5.00	250 for	\$32.50
50 for	8.50	500 for	55.00
100 for	15.00	1000 for	97.50

20th Century

ONE OF THE NEWEST EVERBEARING STRAWBERRIES

18 Berries Known to Fill a Pint Box

- Bears fruit in 60 days
- 3 big crops in 18 months
- Excellent fresh or frozen
- Bears till heavy frosts in fall
- No special soil or care needed
- A flavor you'll never forget
- Bright red color—to center
- Hardy and hale as an Oak tree

20th Century will yield just as well as Red Rich or the heavy producing Brilliant. 20th CENTURY berries are big, round and dark red all the way through. Honey-sweet flavor that is well retained even after thawing or canned, in jams or jellies.

20TH CENTURY PRICES

25 for	\$ 2.50
50 for	4.50
100 for	7.95
250 for	16.00

Limit for this year. Very scarce.



20th Century

COLLECTION A

25 Brilliant 25 Red Rich 25 20th Century
Worth \$10.25 All for Only \$8.25 No Discount

PEONIES

Grow Larger and More Beautiful Each Year

FESTIVA MAXIMA. One of the best white Peonies. Edges of petals are flecked with red. Early bloomer. Fragrant.

ALBERT CROUSSE. Delicate salmon-pink. Compact, bomb-shape. Tall. Very fragrant. One of the finest rated Peonies.

EDITH FORREST. One of the finest reds. Compact bomb-type. Tall and erect. Free bloomer. Fragrant.

Prices: Large 3-5 eye plants, 3-yr.-old, 98c each.

Collection B
One Each of These
Three Peonies
FOR ONLY \$2.00
NO DISCOUNT

20%

DISCOUNT
Before
Feb. 5

15%

DISCOUNT
Before
Mar. 5

10%

DISCOUNT
Before
Apr. 5

HICKS UPRIGHT YEW

A beautiful, shrub-like Evergreen of medium height and columnar form. Rich green, dense foliage is often as broad at the top as at the bottom, thus lending itself to hedges which can be short and kept low, or a living green wall of considerable height. Rather fast growing; will thrive in densely shaded areas as well as in the direct sun. We are overstocked on these 4-yr. old, 15-18 inch trees, \$2.49 each; 2 for \$4.49; 10 for \$20.00; 100 for \$175.00.



Hicks Upright Yew

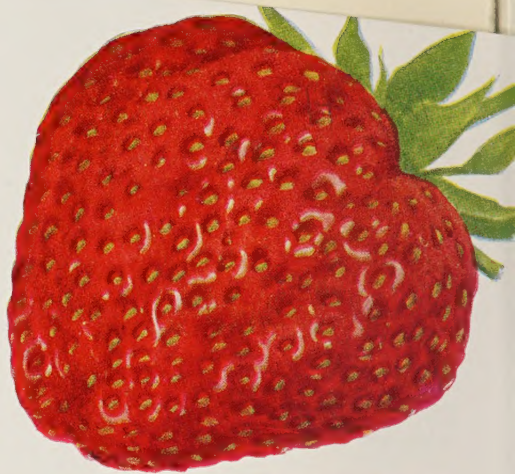
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For
Other
Ever-
greens



Red Crop

GROW
THESE
FINE
STRAW-
BERRIES
FOR FUN
AND
PROFIT

Mastaden



Collection C
100 Gem
100 Robinson
Worth \$8.90
ALL FOR
\$6.25
No Discount

Fresh Berries
6 Months
of the Year!

SEE NEXT PAGE FOR
DESCRIPTIONS AND
PRICES

GEM GIANT EVERBEARER

BEARS 60 DAYS AFTER PLANTING

Gem is one of the older varieties of Everbearing Strawberries, and the Gem that we offer have been improved a lot, by plant selecting, so that now our plants produce an enormous amount of fruit 60 days after they are set, right up to a killing frost in the late fall.

FRUIT IS LARGE AND BRIGHT RED. Red clear through, and when grown in the hill system (keep runners pinched off) they will produce much more and better fruit. Set plants 1 ft. apart in the row in the HILL SYSTEM, and each plant will touch each other by fall, and have a dozen fruit stems on at one time. Gem is a fine commercial berry as well as for home use. Excellent for freezing as it stays whole after thawed. Grows well on heavy soils as well as light.

PLANT GEM FOR A BORDER. Use Gem as a border plant in front of Roses or other flower beds.

GEM EVERBEARING PRICES

25 for	.....	\$1.80	250 for	.....	\$11.95
50 for	.....	2.90	500 for	.....	19.95
100 for	.....	4.95	1000 for	.....	38.00

Gem



Temple



Sparkle



Stromer's STRAWBERRIES

GIANT MASTODON EVERBEARER

- MASTODON—Bears Until Heavy Frosts
- MASTODON—Grows Without Special Care
- MASTODON—The Oldest Everbearing Variety
- MASTODON—Bears 60 Days After Set

Mastodon has been with us for about 20 years, and in all these 20 years we have never known them to fail on a full crop, 5 to 6 months long, the same year they are set out. The size of the berry is like Streamliner—very large. It is of good quality, red all the way through, and fine flavor. Mastodon does not require any special soil, care or petting. They grow most anywhere, or on any soil that will grow garden Potatoes. It will take a hard freeze to stop Mastodon from bearing.

MASTODON EVERBEARING PRICES

25 for	\$1.80	100 for	\$ 4.95	500 for	\$19.95
50 for	2.90	250 for	11.95	1000 for	38.00

CATSKILL

This is one of the latest ripening varieties. A few days later than Robinson. Large, nearly non-acid. Does well on most any soil, but best on a clay soil. Fruit smooth, cardinal-red, sweet and firm. Freezes well. Prices below.

ROBINSON

Largest berry grown. Never hollow. This tangy rich sweet flavor is found in no other Strawberry. Ripens late with Catskill. 18 to 30 berries fill a quart box. Pretty bright red. Freezes well. Heavy bearer. Prices below.

PREMIER

The old favorite early ripening berry. First berries on the market and bring the highest prices. Mild, sweet, non-acid, firm, and one of the best for freezing. Outbears all other varieties we have. Premier will grow on any type soil. Prices below.

SENATOR DUNLAP

This variety is over 50 years old, but still very good. Dark red color, all the way through the berry. Sweet and one of the best canners. Set plants 2 ft. apart, as they make many plants. Any soil will do.

PRICES FOR CATSKILL—ROBINSON—PREMIER—SENATOR DUNLAP

25 for	\$1.50	100 for	\$3.95	500 for	\$10.95
50 for	2.25	200 for	7.50	1000 for	20.95

"NEW SPARKLE"

North of the Ohio River, Sparkle has proven a firm, good-shipping, money-making berry. Resistance to red stele disease, a heavy plant maker and notably hardy in colder climates guarantees consistent profitable late season crops after earlier varieties are gone. Especially delicious quick-frozen in locker plants or home freezers—keeping its color, shape and fine flavor.

BEARS MIDSEASON TO LATE

Rich glossy red, smooth berries with big green caps actually sparkle. They make a beautiful box of fruit. Their flavor is as good as their appearance, equal to Fairland, better than Premier. Above average size and remarkably uniform oval shape and smooth skin.

SPARKLE PRICES

25 for	\$1.25	100 for	\$3.00	300 for	\$ 7.65
50 for	2.00	200 for	5.75	500 for	10.00

STREAMLINER

THE NEW EVERBEARER—ENORMOUS SIZE BUT NEVER HOLLOW —BRINGS SENSATIONAL RESULTS

250 Everbearing Strawberry Plants Will Supply Fruit for Family of Five All Summer and Fall First Year Set. Requires Space 25x10 Ft. 1 Ft. Apart
EAT DELICIOUS BERRIES 60 DAYS AFTER YOU SET OUR PLANTS
Berries Sell for 45c a pint in store and roadside markets, all summer and fall.

It's almost round, with a small hull, and of enormous size. Even larger than the famous Mastodon. The STREAMLINER will ripen up evenly, to the prettiest bright scarlet color which will attract customers' attention every time. Sweet as honey with very little acid.

STREAMLINER PRICES

25 for	\$1.80	100 for	\$ 4.95
50 for	2.90	250 for	11.95



A Nice Size Bed of Strawberries.
50 plants, 60 days after set. Already bearing.
This variety happens to be 20th Century.

NEW TEMPLE

Fully Red-Stele Resistant

Early, Productive, Amazingly Vigorous

Wherever red stele disease is a problem, the new TEMPLE variety is the one to plant because it is fully resistant to this disease. Also, it has proven largely immune to other Strawberry troubles. When cold and frost damaged other varieties, there was no injury to TEMPLE. This is the general report of the U. S. D. A., on this new berry and you can see at once how valuable an addition it is to Strawberry growing—whether for home or market.

Large, Firm, Bright Red, Sweet

Originated in 1938 by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, TEMPLE has the qualities necessary for a successful commercial berry. An exceptionally vigorous grower; produces good crops early in the season; the fruit is firm for long distance shipment. Large, smooth, bright red sweet flavored berries with large green caps.

TEMPLE PRICES

25 for	\$1.25	100 for	\$3.00
50 for	2.00	200 for	5.75

NEW FAIRLAND

A Better Strawberry for Home—For Market

This new variety was released by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture for general introduction in 1949 after 10 years of testing. The Department says of FAIRLAND:

1. A new red stele resistant Strawberry for northern states.
2. Ripens 2 to 6 days after Premier
3. As productive as Premier, with firmer, large light bright red berries.
4. Best adapted to those sections where Premier is grown.

A New Berry For Premier Growing Sections You Can Depend on Fairland for Regular Crops

Commercially FAIRLAND has proven a good shipper and profitable market berry—equal to Premier. This, and the fact that it is entirely red stele resistant, and does particularly well in northern states makes certain that FAIRLAND will be a widely planted leading commercial berry. FAIRLAND berries are unusually uniform in shape, attractive in appearance and excellent in flavor. A fine, dependable home-grown berry. You will want to plant FAIRLAND this spring.

FAIRLAND PRICES

25 for	\$1.25	100 for	\$3.00
50 for	2.00	200 for	5.75

NEW RED CROP

A new June-bearing variety, released by the New Jersey Experiment Station in 1950. The berry is medium to large and very uniform in size; it is bright red throughout with no hollow center. It makes an excellent frozen product. It has indicated a resistance to red stele disease.

PRICES

25 for	\$1.25	100 for	\$3.00
50 for	2.00	200 for	5.75

A BARREL OF STRAW- BERRIES AND A BARREL OF FUN

Take any wooden barrel and drill 45 holes 2 in. in diameter in a staggered fashion. Place the plants in the holes as you fill the barrel with good garden soil. Spread out the roots and tamp the soil well as you fill. Place a 4-inch field tile up the middle. This is an ideal way to water, by simply putting water in this tile. Plant 5 plants around the top after the barrel is full. NO WEEDING OR CULTIVATING this way and you have 50 plants that are up where you can get at them to pick. Any of our everbearing varieties are suitable.



Don't Delay
Ordering
Strawberries
Plant Crop
Less Than
One-Half
Due to Dry
Weather

HOW TO ORDER

Fill out and mail your order as soon as you can after you receive this catalog. Remember, the earlier the better. On all orders received on or before Feb. 5th (postmarked Feb. 5th), we are allowing a 20% CASH discount, from anything in this catalog (except a few items marked "NO DISCOUNT"). Your order will be acknowledged by first class mail, and not shipped till you tell us to.

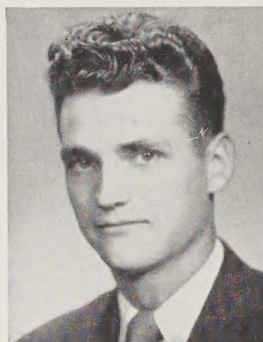
WHEN TO PLANT. March, April and May are spring planting months. October and November are best fall planting months. Let us ship when it's just the right time.

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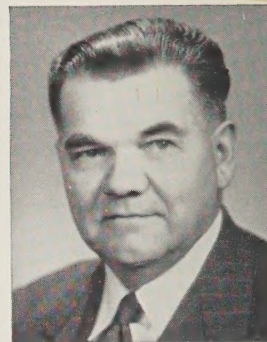
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GUARANTEE

We guarantee all of our nursery stock to be just as represented in our catalog; fully up to grade, of good quality, free from disease, and absolutely true to name; also to reach the customer alive, and in perfect growing condition. Furthermore, we will, at our option, either replace free of charge, or refund purchase price on any stock that arrives in bad condition; providing claim is made within 5 days from arrival of shipment, accompanied by a signed statement from the Express Agent or Postmaster at destination, showing extent of loss or damage. If any stock proves untrue to name, it will, at our option, either be replaced free of charge, or purchase price will be refunded; but in no case will we be responsible for a sum greater than the original purchase price paid. Any stock that fails to start, will be replaced at HALF PRICE, providing you notify us before July 1st same year planted. Beyond this our liability ceases. It is understood and agreed between the customer and ourselves that the purchaser's order, and our acknowledgement of its receipt, shall constitute a mutual acceptance of the above terms and conditions.



Son Dick Stromer



George Stromer
31 Years of Nursery Experience

TERMS AND REMITTANCE

Send post office or express money orders, bank draft, or your personal check. Please do not send currency unless you register the letter. Our terms are full payment with order. However, on orders amounting to over \$20.00, we will accept one-third payment with order and you may send the balance before it is time to ship.

HOW TO SHIP

We ship everything either by express or parcel post.

DISCOUNTS

It will pay you to mail your order early, as this year we are allowing 20% cash discount for orders received before February 5th.

20% CASH DISCOUNT BEFORE FEB. 5

Although you probably will not want your order shipped before April, it's wise to order it before Feb. 5th, and save, or earn 20%. You can earn 20%, and even if you have to borrow it at 6%, which would be 1% for the 2 months, and still be 19% to the good.

NOTICE INTERLAKEN Seedless Grape

It seems like when most folks think of table Grapes their thoughts go to the Thompson Seedless Grapes that are shipped in from California. NOW, at last we have a SEEDLESS Grape that will stand 20 degrees below zero and grow and bear in the north. Golden Yellow Seedless Grapes on huge bunches that hang ripe from the vines in early Sept. Skinless, tender, sweet and very juicy. We have just a few nice 2-yr.-old, field-grown plants at \$2.50 each. NO DISCOUNT. See picture page 17.

PLANTS REQUIRED TO SET AN ACRE

PLANTS REQUIRED TO SET AN ACRE				Plants
Strawberries (commercial use)	3 ft.	8 in.	x 1 1/2 ft.	7,920
Strawberries (garden use)	2 1/2 ft.	x 1 1/2 ft.		11,600
Strawberries, Everbearing	2 1/2 ft.	x 1 1/2 ft.		11,600
Black Raspberries		7 ft.	x 3 1/2 ft.	1,800
Red Raspberries		7 ft.	x 3 1/2 ft.	1,800
Blackberries		7 ft.	x 3 1/2 ft.	1,800
Grapes	8 ft.	x 10 ft.		140
Grapes	8 ft.	x 12 ft.		440

FREE GIFTS FOR EARLY ORDERING

YOU MAY SELECT \$2.00 WORTH OF STOCK FROM THIS BOOK WITHOUT CHARGE WITH AN ORDER AMOUNTING TO \$10.00 OR OVER AND SENT TO US BEFORE MARCH 15.

PLEASE NOTE!

The earlier you get your order in to us the better. This enables us to take care of the necessary clerical work on orders during the winter before the rush of the spring shipping season. This amounts to a saving with us and we are glad to show our appreciation by allowing you to select GIFTS.

Remember these gifts apply only to cash orders of \$10.00 or over, and your order must be post-marked March 15th or before. Gift stock must be listed and sent in with your original order as it is impossible for us to hunt out orders and attach lists of gift stock after orders are filled for shipping. The premiums are given for early orders and those coming in when the shipping season has opened cannot be classified as early orders. Gift stock may be selected from any items in this book.

FRAGRANT GLADIOLUS

(Acidanthera)

Florets creamy white, with heavy blotch of chocolate-brown. Very heavy and delightful fragrance. Easy to grow, same as any other Gladiolus. Blooms September and October, depending on when it's planted. Plant in April and May. Price:

3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.85. Supply limited. NO DISCOUNTS.



BERRY-SET

1/2-oz. package, 25c. Enough spray for several hundred plants (2 gallons).

5 packages, \$1.00. (for 1/2 acre). Makes 10 gals. Postpaid (No Discounts) Directions on package.

"A Product of Science"

BERRY-SET

A HORMONE SPRAY FOR BIGGER BERRIES!

JUST SPRAY THE BLOSSOMS

BIGGER MORE LUSCIOUS LONGER BEARING

STRAWBERRIES

Raspberries, Blackberries, Huckleberries

SCIENCE PRODUCTS COMPANY • CHICAGO 37

50 TO 100% LARGER BERRIES

GIANT CULTIVATED BLUEBERRIES

GROW THEM IN YOUR
GARDEN — GROW THEM
COMMERCIALY

NOW

For a big money-making crop, these giant size, dark blue Blueberries are without equal. No other fruit bears more abundantly and requires so little care. Even a few bushes will provide the average family with enough fruit all season for fresh desserts and pies, and for canning and freezing. Berries shown here are actual size Jersey variety. They have a mild sweet flavor, and are consistently uniform in size and shape.

EASY TO GROW. Each year as we learn more and more about growing the HYBRID cultivated Blueberries, we find that they are not near as fussy about what kind of soil they will grow on, as we thought a few years ago. Of course, they prefer a rather moist acid soil, but we also find that they will grow on other soil too, by adding some peat moss, old leaves or sawdust with the soil. Sulphur and water them well during dry spells.

The cultivated Blueberry is a rather DWARF growing plant. A plant 15 years old will not be over 6 feet tall, but it will be the same size in circumference. They grow in a ball shape plant, and their roots are all very near the top of the soil, so they must be cultivated very shallow. Set the plants 5 feet apart each way, and keep clean by frequent cultivation. Hoe all weeds away from the plants.

BLUEBERRY PRICES

4-Yr.-Old Plants. Full of Buds. Ready to Bear This Year

↓ **RUBEL and JERSEY Varieties**

**2 for \$2.95; 5 for \$6.75; 10 for \$12.50; 25 for \$27.50;
50 for \$52.50; 100 for \$99.00.**

BLUEBERRY CULTURE

Set plants 4x4 feet apart in cultivated acid soil. Blueberries must have acid soil to thrive and if your soil is not acid, mix in liberal quantity of peat moss to attain acid condition. Use plenty of peat or leaf mold around roots when setting plants. Keep well watered at all times unless you have them planted in a low spot where natural moisture abounds.

NEW DWARF CORKBARK SHRUB

For Brilliant Autumn Foliage

A new attractive shrub because of its heavily ridged branches. Flutings resemble layers of cork. New dwarf type. Foliage is especially fine in autumn when it changes to many brilliant shades. Grows 3 to 4 feet tall. **2-yr. plants, \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.00.**



RHODODENDRONS

EXCELLENT NEW HARDY HYBRIDS

One of our most elegant native plants. The Rhododendron is always a thing of beauty and, if reasonable care is used in growing them, they are perfectly adaptable to use in most sections of the country for landscape work and foundation plantings. These Hybrid varieties will indeed provide a luxurious appearance when matured. Foliage is large, rich glossy green in color and stays that way the year around. We cannot guarantee color of bloom, since these are hybrids, but shadings run from pink through the lavender shades to deep rose.

Nice 9- to 12-inch plants, \$2.30 each. Growing instructions same as Blueberries.





Stromer's

Hardy and Best Of All Raspberries

The most scarce plant
item this year is all
Raspberry stock.



GOLDEN QUEEN RASPBERRY

A beautiful, large, golden yellow Raspberry. Many prefer this fine variety to any of the reds or blacks, owing to its sugary sweetness and unsurpassed flavor. The canes are hardy, vigorous growers, and heavy croppers. Grows like a Red Raspberry and should be handled like one. Ripens with Latham. Our bearing age plants will bear fruit this summer.

GOLDEN QUEEN PRICES

1-Year, No. 1 Plants			
3 for ...	\$1.25	5 for ...	\$2.00
12 for ...	\$3.95	25 for ...	\$5.00
2-Year-Old, Bearing-Age Plants			
3 for ...	\$2.00	5 for ...	\$2.75
12 for ...	\$5.50	25 for ..	\$9.95
3-Year-Old, Jumbo Plants (Limit 12 to a Customer)			
Each ...	\$1.00	3 for ...	\$2.75
		5 for ...	\$3.85
		12 for	\$8.40

LATHAM The Commercial Growers FIRST CHOICE

Latham is to Red Raspberries what Premier is to Strawberries. An old standby that grows anywhere on most any type of soil, and so hardy that it will stand 45 degrees below zero. Latham berries are large, often an inch in diameter. Best all-around berry to grow. Cans well, and fine for freezing. The plants grow large and tall. Holds the load of fruit well when trimmed back to 30 inches tall each spring. Latham has that old-fashioned real Red Raspberry flavor that is lacking in so many other varieties. Set Latham plants 3 1/2 ft. by 7 ft. apart. March, April and May are the best planting months. Plant soon as ground can be worked. 25 plants will plant a row 85 feet long, and plenty for average family.

LATHAM PRICES—1-Year-Old, No. 1

6 for ...	\$1.25	25 for ...	\$3.50	100 for ..	\$11.00	300 for ..	\$28.50
12 for ...	2.25	50 for ...	6.00	200 for ..	20.00	400 for ...	36.00
		500 for ...	\$40.00	1000 for	\$75.00		

Why Wait a Whole Year for Fruit? — 2-Yr.-Old Bearing Age Plants			
Each ...	50c	3 for \$1.25	6 for ...\$2.00
		25 for ...\$5.95	100 for \$18.95
			12 for ...\$3.75

MORRISON

Largest Black Raspberry. Many berries large as a quarter. Rank grower. Immense, jet-black fruit of highest quality for fresh, frozen, canned or jams. Ripens a week later than Cumberland, and will out-produce it by 30%. 12 plants are usually enough for family use.

PRICES

1-yr., No. 1 Plants		2-Yr.-Old, Bearing Age Plants	
3 for ...	\$ 0.90	3 for ...	\$ 1.50
6 for ...	1.45	6 for ...	2.70
12 for ...	2.50	12 for ...	4.50
25 for ...	4.45	25 for ...	8.50
50 for ...	7.95	50 for ...	15.95
100 for ...	14.95	100 for ...	29.95

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COLLECTION D

25 Latham, 2-yr.-old 5 Golden Queen, 2-yr.

For Only \$6.00

NO DISCOUNT

Latham
Red
Raspberry

Morrison
Raspberry



EBONY KING BLACK-BERRY

The greatest Blackberry discovery in 30 years. It's been thoroughly tested for 3 years before being offered to our customers. As you probably know that most Blackberry varieties offered are sterile, and will only bloom, and not bear. EBONY KING will bear large, juicy fruit over a 3 weeks' period. It's very hardy, and a thrifty grower. Bears annually and early in the season before hot weather sets in. Self-pollenizing. Has a sweet nectar flavor that no other variety has or ever did have. Supply of this variety is still limited.

EBONY KING PRICES			
2-Year-Old, Bearing Age Transplants			
6 for	\$ 3.00	25 for	\$10.00
12 for	5.50	50 for	19.00
		100 for	\$34.50

CUMBERLAND — The Business Black Raspberry

Cumberland is perfectly hardy and tremendously productive. The berries are extra large, glossy black, and not equalled by any other variety in quality, flavor or appearance, except Morrison. Whether wanted for market or home use, we can recommend Cumberland to our most exacting customers. Disease-free. Twice state inspected plants.

Plant Cumberland for mid-season, MORRISON for late, and MORTGAGE LIFTER for extra early, and you will have berries for a month long. Set plants 3½ by 7 ft. apart. March, April and May are the planting months. The earlier the better. Require well drained ground. Plant in October and November for fall. FREE planting directions sent with the plants.

CUMBERLAND PRICES			
1-yr.-old, No. 1		2-yr.-old, Bearing Age	
3 for	\$0.90	3 for	\$1.50
6 for	1.45	6 for	2.70
12 for	2.50	12 for	4.50
25 for	4.50	25 for	8.50
50 for	7.95	50 for	15.95
100 for	14.95	100 for	29.95

MORTGAGE LIFTER

The Extra-Early Black Raspberry

This new Black Raspberry was introduced by us three years ago. It's a chance seedling, since it was found growing wild. It was taken up and cultivated because we noticed that the berries were ripe and ready two weeks before any other variety, so it is the outstanding feature of MORTGAGE LIFTER. Berries are medium large, sweet as honey, and firm. They are all gone when Cumberland starts to ripen. If you plant only a few in your garden you will have the first ripe berries in your neighborhood. If you plant them for market, then you will really "clean up," since it's always the first ones ripe that make the money. It's a real mortgage lifter.

1-Year-Old, No. 1 Plants		2-Year Old, Bearing Age Plants	
3 for	\$1.00	Each	\$0.85
6 for	1.50	3 for	2.00
12 for	2.75	25 for	10.00
25 for	5.00		
50 for	8.00		
100 for	15.00		

NEW EARLY RED

Stanley Johnston, superintendent of the South Haven, Michigan, experiment station, has developed this EXTRA early Red Raspberry. EARLY RED is the name given this product of 20 years of breeding and testing. This variety is especially valuable because it comes into bearing so early, way before any other Red Raspberries are on the market. Market gardeners make big money with EARLY RED. The plant grows tall. It's very hardy and vigorous, and very productive. Berries are beautiful red, round and of medium size. Excellent for freezing or canning. Plants of this variety are still scarce, so order early.

NEW EARLY RED PRICES	
2-Yr.-Old, Bearing Age	
3 for	\$ 2.75
6 for	4.95
12 for	6.95
25 for	12.95
100 for	49.00

SEPTEMBER EVERBEARING RED RASPBERRY 2 BIG CROPS A YEAR

The first crop begins to ripen with Latham and Indian Summer. The fall crop, which is borne on the new growth, starts to ripen in early September. This is a month earlier than Indian Summer bears the fall crop. In both crops the berries are about as large as Latham, and of about the same quality. The plants are vigorous, healthy, and hardy. This NEW variety has been carefully tested for several years, and has proved to be the best of the two-crop-a-year red Raspberries.

PRICES	
2-Year-Old, Bearing Age Transplants	
6 for	\$3.00
12 for	5.50

HORSE RADISH

This is the good old Bohemian Horse-radish. Will grow any place from light sand to rich bottom land. Grates up fine and tender. White as snow and strong as Samson.

PRICES—Heavy Roots		
3 for	\$0.35	100 for .. \$ 5.95
10 for ..	1.00	1000 for .. 39.00
25 for	2.00	

HEAVY CROWN PLANTS		
3 for	\$1.00	10 for \$2.75
5 for	1.50	

VICTORIA RHUBARB

This giant stalked Rhubarb is the best that can be grown. It is tender, early, and has a mild acid flavor. Stalks are reddish green. Delicious for pies and sauce. We offer you nice size 2-year-old roots.

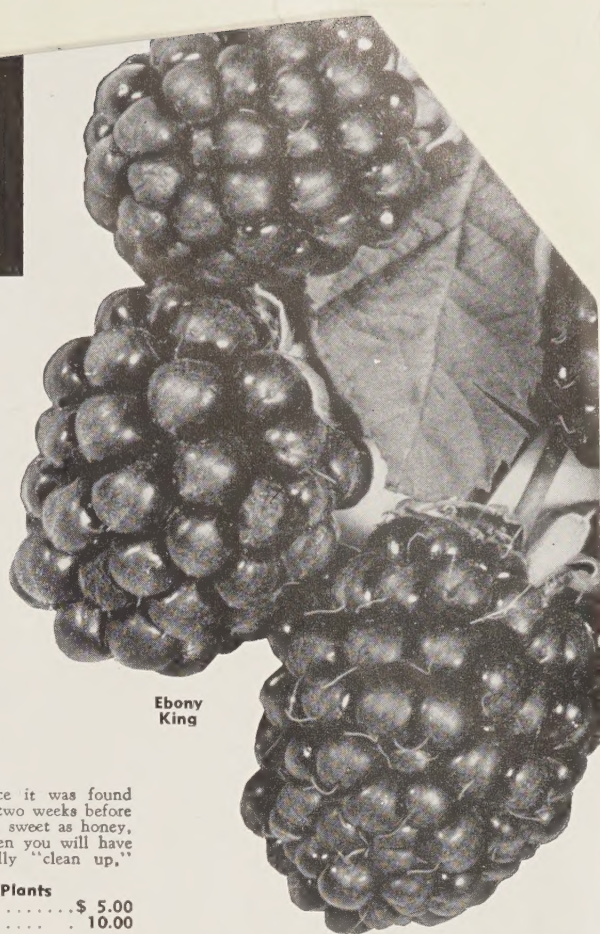
PRICE		
Each	\$0.25	12 for \$2.00
3 for .....	.65c	25 for 3.75

MARY WASHINGTON ASPARAGUS

There is no variety of Asparagus as good as Mary Washington, and whether for home use only or for market, you cannot afford to grow any other. This wonderful new Asparagus was developed and introduced by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and although a recent introduction, it has become famous the country over.

Growers everywhere are discarding all other varieties in favor of Mary Washington, because it is earliest, the stalks are larger, more tender, more productive than any other variety.

ASPARAGUS PRICES			
2-Year-Old Roots			
6 for	\$0.85	100 for	\$ 5.00
12 for	1.25	500 for	21.00
25 for	2.20	1000 for	40.00
50 for	3.25		
Husky 3-Year-Old-Roots Ready to Cut			
6 for	\$1.25	12 for	\$2.00
		25 for	\$3.75



Ebony King

COLLECTION E

12 Ebony King, 2-yr.-old.
12 Latham, 2-yr.-old.

ONLY \$6.50

3 Golden Queen, 2-yr.-old, FREE.

GIANT FILBERT NUTS

We offer the BARCELONA variety. Produces the largest, sweet meated nuts of them all. Heavy producer, and will grow anywhere, either high or low ground, but prefer low land. We offer plants 3-4 ft. tall, transplanted, and have already borne in the nursery row. Price: 3-4 ft. tall, each \$2.75; 2 for \$5.00.



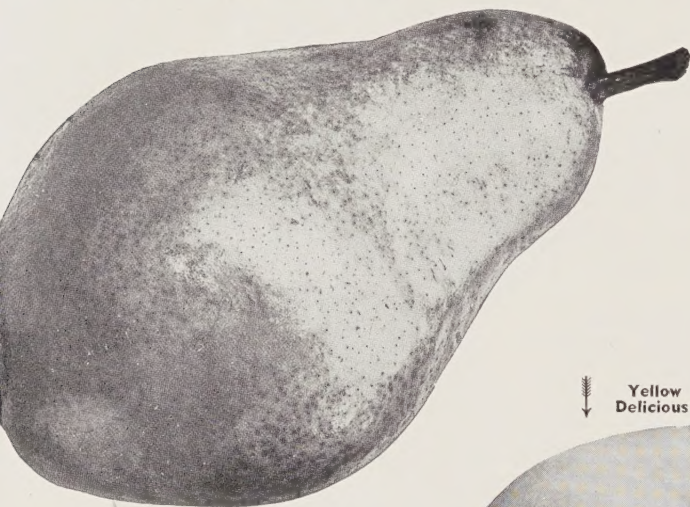
Stromer's Ready to Bear Fruit Trees

PEACHES

HALE-HAVEN

- PROFITABLE MARKET CROP
- FOR FREEZER STORAGE
- PEACHES AND CREAM
- FOR HOME CANNING
- SPICED PEACHES

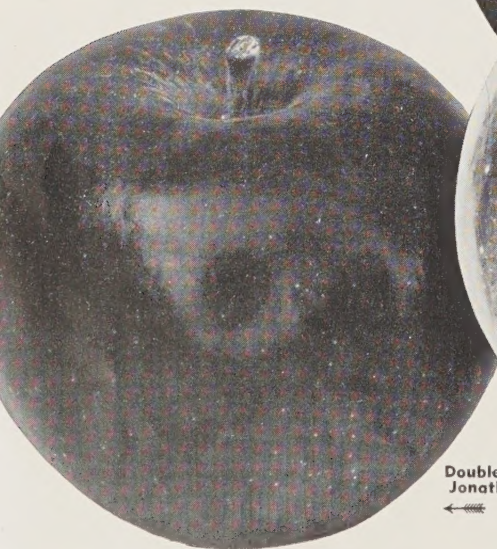
Our fancy, well bred Hale-Haven trees will bear young and annually. Fruit is freestone, and deep orange-yellow with deep red color many days before they are fit to pick. When fully tree-ripened they are a sight to look at. Firm, yet tender, sweet and juicy. Ship well and will keep a week in the refrigerator, even when fully ripe. We do not hesitate to say that Hale-Haven is the best canning and freezing variety of them all. Self pollinizing. Ripens August 1st to August 20th. See picture of Hale-Haven Peach on page 11.



BARTLETT PEAR

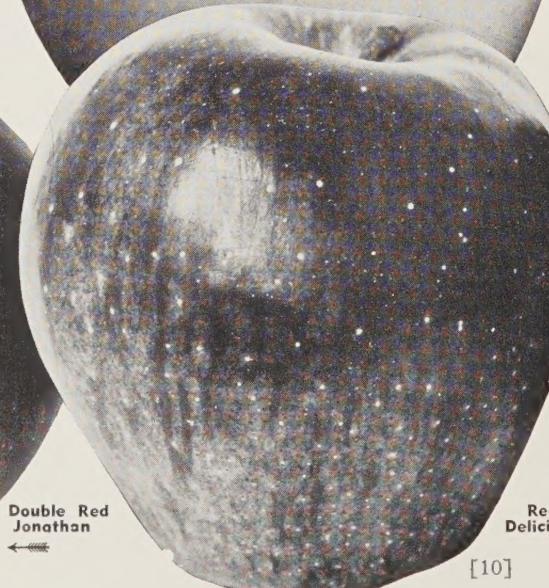
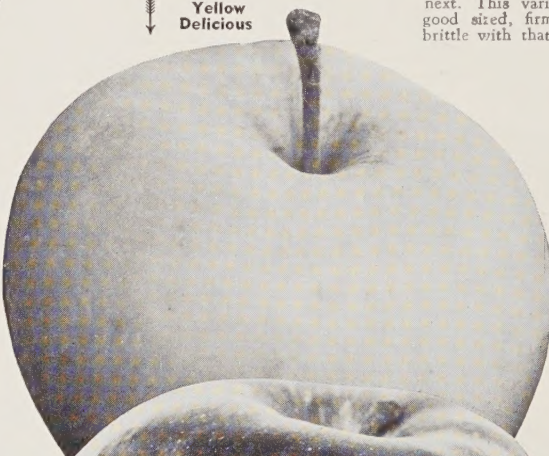
The Leading Commercial Pear

Large, waxy yellow fruit with red blush. Uniform in size and very attractive in shape. The Bartlett Pear is the most widely known and attractive of all Pears. Bartlett sets the standard of perfection by which other Pears are judged. Flesh is superbly flavored, fine white, and juicy. Ripens in summer. Ideal for fresh dessert, canning, summer storage. A big money-maker. The illustration gives an idea of the richness of the Bartlett, which is truly the King of Pears. Super Size Trees, 11/16 in., 5-6 ft., Each \$1.95.



Double Red Jonathan

Yellow Delicious



Red Delicious

ELBERTA

Elberta Peaches are universally known as the outstanding money-maker Peach wherever Peaches are grown. Roundish oval in shape, with deep golden skin blushed carmine-red. Flesh is golden, rich flavored, ideally firm and fine textured. Without doubt the leading shipping, canning, storage, drying and freezing Peach. Fruit perfectly freestone. Self-pollinizing variety. A good pollinizer for other Peach varieties. Ripens medium late and remains in good condition on trees a long time. (Ripening date Aug. 20 to Sept. 10.)

REDHAVEN

A flaming scarlet Peach that ripens extra early and is very hardy. Originating in Michigan, Redhaven has rapidly risen to fame as one of the leading commercial varieties of Peaches on the market today. Redhaven will be colored up with gorgeous all-over red and ready to pick and ship to distant markets while the fruit is still firm and easy to handle. This Peach has fine, sweet, firm textured, golden flesh. An excellent dessert Peach and very desirable for canning. Redhaven ripens 10 days ahead of regular Hale-Haven. Peach is freestone and self-pollinizing.

APPLE TREES

DOUBLE RED DELICIOUS

This variety is far superior to the common Red Delicious, as it is highly colored all around, with no green sides. Double Red Delicious is America's number one Apple. It tops the market every time, and seems to bear in a wide range of soils and climates. The fruits are very large, solid red, with the five points, and rather long in shape. Truly a most beautiful Apple, and the best eating Apple of them all. Flesh slightly yellow, with semi-sweet flavor. Two- and three-year-old sizes available, also Giant.

YELLOW DELICIOUS

Winter. Comes into bearing early, producing heavy crops. Very thrifty, hardy, vigorous grower. A golden Apple which has won fame as an outstanding commercial variety. 2- and 3-year-old sizes available, also Giants.

DOUBLE RED JONATHAN

This is No. 2 Apple on the market. That is, Red Delicious brings the biggest prices and sells the best, and Jonathan comes next. This variety cannot be praised too highly. It's solid red, good sized, firm, juicy, and keeps well. Its flesh is white and brittle with that tart tangy flavor that's in a class all of its own.

PEACH and APPLE PRICES

2-yr.-old, 11/16 in.,
Super Size, Each \$1.95

PLANT A MULBERRY TREE

Russian Mulberry

This is a fine tree both for shade, and also a fruit tree. It will pay you to have one or two of these Mulberries growing on your place to feed the birds. The birds prefer them to your Cherries, so this is the very best way to solve your Robin trouble in Cherry time. It really works. Well branched 6-7 ft. trees, 3-yr.-old, Each \$2.95.

VEST POCKET APPLE

Six Varieties All On One Tree

This is not just a worthless novelty. It is really true. We have budded 5 different varieties of Apples on a Whitney Crab Apple stock. This makes 6 varieties all on this one sturdy, tough understock. You will get Red Delicious, Yellow Delicious, Dark Red Jonathan, Wealthy, Yellow Transparent and the Whitney Crab on which all these varieties are budded. Yellow Transparent will be the first to ripen, then the Wealthy, and so on up to the late winter keeping varieties. Who buy 6 trees when you have only room for one. Think how interesting it will be to watch this tree develop. Plant one by your kitchen door, take good care of it, and you will be well repaid with sweet Apple blossoms early in the spring, shade all summer, and fruit all summer and fall.

We are offering the super size trees, 3-year-old. Each \$3.75.

See Picture →



^ MONTMORENCY PIE CHERRY

The finest and most reliable pie Cherry ever introduced. Big, round, juicy, bright red fruits will be yours to eat fresh or canned every July if you set our "Certified Bud Selected" trees this spring. Often bears the year after set. Deliciously sub-acid. Good to eat fresh, or canned, frozen or in pies. Also the one to use for Cherry juice. This variety will grow most any place in the United States, except the Deep South. Not fussy about the soil. Montmorency is so dependable, and always sells. Folks will come and pick themselves, if you find yourself short of help in harvest time. 2-Yr.-Old, 11/16 in., Super Size Montmorency Trees, \$2.25 each.

^ BING SWEET CHERRY

This is that extra large blackish red Sweet Cherry that you see in the fancy fruit stores, that sells anywhere from 35c to 60c per pound. Brittle and sweet. Small pit. Dark wine-red all the way through the meat. Remarkable keeping qualities, and a wonderful producer. Ripens about the time most of the smaller varieties are off the market. Brings the highest price on any market on account of its size and attractive appearance. Always set 1-yr.-old Sweet Cherry trees. They grow better. We offer 1-yr.-old, 9/16-in. trees at \$2.25 each.



Bing Sweet Cherry

Collection F

1 Bing
1 Montmorency
FOR ONLY
\$3.60
NO DISCOUNT



3-Yr.-Old,
Bearing
Age
Mont-
morency
\$3.95
EACH
Supply
Limited

← Vest Pocket
Apple Tree



Hale-
Haven
Peach



Stanley Prune

PLUMS

STANLEY PRUNE PLUM

Improved Italian Plum
Large blue Prune type Plum. Sweetest of all Plums. Flesh is yellow as butter, and the pit falls out when broken open. Starts to bear young and regularly each year. Needs no other variety to pollinize. Ripens early September. Wonderful shipper and keeper. Eat them fresh, can them, or freeze them, and you will have the best. Supply of Stanley Prune trees limited this year. Order early. **2-Yr.-Old, 11/16 in., Super Size Trees, \$1.95 each.**



Superior Red Plum

SUPERIOR RED PLUM

Wine-red color, yellow flesh, juicy and sweet. One of the hardiest, and could be classed as a dwarf. Tree bears second year, and annually. Ripens middle of August. Best red Plum. **2-Yr.-Old, Super Size Trees, \$1.95 each.**



BLAZE

EVERBLOOMING CLIMBER
See Page 13 for Description and Prices.

DWARF APPLE TREES

Dwarf Apple trees are in great demand. You can plant them in a very small space as they never get over 8 to 10 ft. tall at maturity. They produce the same large fruit that a standard Apple tree will. It's only the tree that stays small. Very attractive in bloom, and the fruit is so easy to pick. Start bearing the year after set. We have to offer: Double Red Delicious, Double Red Jonathan, Double Red McIntosh, and Yellow Transparent. **3-4 ft. trees, price: \$3.00 each; 2 for \$5.75; 4 for \$11.00.**



DWARF BARTLETT PEAR

These Pear trees are just the thing for small back yards or crowded quarters. Trees never get large. Bears year after set. Fruit large as standard Pear. It's just the trees that stay small. A 6-ft. tall DWARF Pear tree will bear a bushel of Pears. Set 8 ft. apart. We offer trees ready to bear. **2-yr.-old, 3-4 ft. trees, \$2.50 each.**



DWARF TREES BEAR SOONER



Editor
McFarland



Hadley

ROSE PRICES
2-YEAR-OLD
FIELD-GROWN
Each \$1.25

EVERBLOOMING ROSES

POINSETTIA. A true Poinsettia-red of velvety texture and non-fading color. Buds are long, pointed and perfectly formed. Excellent as a cut flower. **Each \$1.25.**

EDITOR McFARLAND. Richly fragrant flowers of clear, brilliant pink. Especially noted for its perfection of form and remarkably long-lasting quality. Very hardy and free flowering. **Each \$1.25.**

CONDESA DE SASTAGO. Charming two-toned flowers of glowing orange-scarlet on inside of petals, bright yellow outside. Large cup-shaped flowers; highly fragrant. **Each \$1.25.**

McGREDY'S YELLOW. Perfect blooms of clear, soft yellow. Distinctive form in bud stage and full bloom. Vigorous grower and free flowering. Long a favorite yellow Rose. **Each \$1.25.**

HADLEY. One of the most beautiful of the reds. Pointed buds and extra large fragrant blooms. Extra double. **Each \$1.25.**

BLAZE EVERBLOOMING CLIMBING ROSE

One of the largest selling Roses ever introduced. Grows in true pillar form. Terrific crop of early blooms followed by repeat blooms throughout the summer and fall season. Plants have the hardiness and good habits of the Paul's Scarlet parentage. Good bright green foliage and sturdy canes. Excellent for use on each side of a driveway entrance or along a background fence. Color is intermediate scarlet and does not rapidly fade after blooms open. The patent rights on Blaze have run out so we can now sell it at regular prices as follows: 2-yr-old, field-grown, \$1.25 each.

COLLECTION G

One Each of These 5 Everblooming Bush Roses

FOR ONLY \$4.50
NO DISCOUNT

2 Of These Collections
FOR ONLY \$8.00
NO DISCOUNT



McGredy's
Yellow



Condesa de
Sastago



Hardy Golden Privet (See page 15)



Canada Blood-red Rhubarb (See page 15)



Mountain Pink Phlox-Subulata (See page 15)



French Lilac (See page 15)



BLACK MAGIC

Color is dark blue-black. See color photo to above. Blooms in spring, and again in the early fall to winter. Just a mass of color. We like these double duty Iris much better than the common kinds that bloom only for a short time in July.

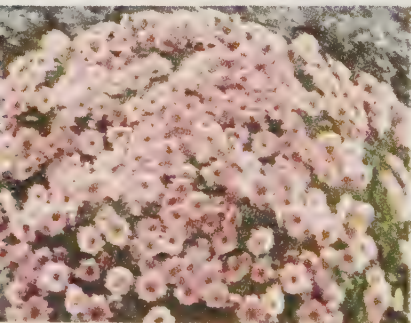
PRICES

Each	\$0.40
3 for	1.00
5 for	1.50



58 Day Sweet Corn (See page 15)

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Stromer's SHRUBS

MOUNTAIN PINK, PHLOX SUBULATA

Moss or Creeping Phlox

One of the best loved and best known of the spring blooming family. These low spreading plants, with solid sheets of flowers that hide the mossy evergreen foliage through May and early June, have endeared themselves to everyone. They are about 6 inches high and make clumps from one to two feet across. All are sun lovers and are very drought resistant. The soil should be well drained and not too rich. Excellent for the rockery, front of the hardy border, and for covering terraces, dry hillsides and cemetery work. Plant 12 inches apart in masses, or drifts for pleasing effects. **Nice, well-rooted plants, 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.95; 10 for \$3.25.**

CANADA RED RHUBARB

A brand new Rhubarb imported from Canada. Stems dark red clear to the heart and up in the leaf. Sauce made from our Canada Red will be as red as Strawberry jam. Skin so tender it can be cooked with the stem. Grows to a giant size. Stock still limited. We offer divisions as it can not be grown from seed. **2-yr. divisions, each 75c; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75. 3-year-old, heavy clumps, each \$1.50. Ready to bear.**

HARDY GOLDEN PRIVET

For brilliant color contrast, mix a few of these plants with your shrub plantings or plant dividing hedges of Golden Privet. Hardy and fast growing, yet may be kept sheared at the desired height and size. Plant four of them in a diamond shape at a corner of your lawn and skirt with 5 plants of Red Barberry. This will make a colorful, hardy and beautiful planting. **Nice 2-yr. plants, 65c each; 4 for \$2.50; 10 for \$5.95.**

FRENCH LILACS

FRENCH Lilacs are so valuable because they are so hardy and vigorous. We list here four of the most popular varieties and colors. All are double and so fragrant. Will grow 15 ft. tall in time, but can be trimmed to stay lower if you wish. Bloom in late May and are just in their prime for DECORATION DAY.

CHARLES JOLY. Double, near red in color. Very fragrant.

ALPHONSE LAVALLEE. Double, true lilac color. Fragrant.

PRES. GREVY. Deep purple-lilac colored. Double. Sweet fragrance.

MME. LEMOINE. Double, white. Fragrant.

Prices: 18-24 inch plants, each \$1.95. 4-5 ft. plants. Blooming size, each \$2.95. This size bloom- ed this year.



58-DAY HYBRID SWEET CORN

Grows small stalks, with one and two 5- to 6-inch ears to the stalk, on good garden soil. We have never seen an earlier Corn. Will make Corn ready to eat in 58 warm days. It's sure sweet, and tender too. Yellow as butter. We have several customers who buy 50 pounds of it and make real money by having the FIRST Corn on the market.

	PRICE,	Postpaid		
1/2 lb.	\$0.65		5 lbs.	\$4.25
1 lb.	1.00		10 lbs.	7.50

PINK CUSHION Picture to Left

Here is an old favorite. It's the oldest one of the Cushion Mums, but one of the best. It makes a very large plant by early fall, a little larger than Red Cushion, and just as loaded with blooms, often hiding all leaves when fully in bloom. It's a sight in early September till late fall. We have a large stock of these Cushion Mums this year so are offering them to you at the low reduced prices to the left. All Cushion Mums make fine border plants. As a specimen plant you will have a mound of beauty as large as a bushel basket by the time it's fully in bloom. **Each 45c.**

YELLOW CUSHION Picture to Left

Everyone loves Yellow Mums. Especially this one. It's a good bright yellow and blooms a week earlier than the rest of them. A thousand blooms open at one time on a well cared for plant is a common sight. It's impossible to see any leaves when this one comes into full bloom. You will have to see it to believe it. **Each 45c.**

COLLECTION H

One of Each of These 3 Fine Cushion Mums
ONLY \$1.00
NO DISCOUNT

RED CUSHION Picture to Left

Here is the Santa Claus of them all, with its fiery red color that blends in so well with the others. We show plants of the Cushion Mum in full bloom, 5 months after set, and with over 500 blooms, and some buds. Starts to bloom in September and will not stop until killing frosts in late fall. Fine for borders and beds. Plants last several years, and should be taken up and separated after the second year. One plant will make 25 new ones. What a bargain at the low price we are asking for these plants. **Each 45c.**

BLEEDING HEART

Old Fashioned

This lovely hardy old-fashioned plant is loved by all. Lives for years and comes forth each spring, right after the snow goes off, with its long arching stems, loaded with dainty heart-shaped flower pendants. Rosy red, pale yellow centers. All stems do not appear at once. Will bloom over a 6-weeks' period. Plants are very hardy, and can be divided every 3 years. Plants go dormant in June in time to plant annuals like Zinnias or Marigolds. 3- to 4-eye division plants. **Field-grown, Each 95c.**



Bleeding Heart

VIBURNUM BURKWOODI

Gardenia-Scented Wonder Shrub
Thrives in Semi-Shaded Locations

This grafted variety brings you the hardiness, rapid growth, beautiful fluted foliage and general dependability of the family plus a new loveliness of bloom. Large, ball-like masses of waxen creamy white have a rich Gardenia fragrance. In the dusk of evening the perfume will envelop the whole lawn. Plant is semi-dwarf, seldom over 5 feet when matured. Foliage colors richly in fall. **\$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.**



Viburnum Burkwoodi

RED DOGWOOD

(Cornus Florida Rubra)

Lovely red flowered Dogwood, that blooms so early in the spring, on gracefully shaped trees. Will grow in shade, in dry or wet soil. **Price: 2-3 ft. trees, each \$3.50.**

WHITE DOGWOOD

(Cornus Florida Plena)

Beautiful, large, snow-white flowers early in the spring. Grows well in shade or open sunlight. Dry or wet soil. Not fussy at all. **Price: 2-3 ft. trees, each \$2.00.**



White Dogwood

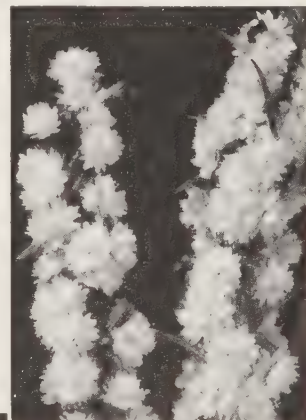
PINK FLOWERING ALMOND

Earliest spring flowering shrub, in full bloom before the leaves appear. Beautiful pearly pink, double blooms snuggle tight to the twigs, completely covering the bush. Medium height, reaching about 4 feet. **18-24 in., 95c each; 3 for \$2.50.**

DOUBLE RED ALTHEA

(Not Illustrated)

Blooms in August when other flowers are so scarce. If you are looking for a bright color in your landscape, here is the answer. Bright red, and as double as a Rose. May be used for a hedge or tall growing background. We offer 2-3 ft. strong plants. **Price: Each 95c; 3 for \$2.50.**



Pink Flowering Almond



American Wonder Lemon

SNOWBALL BUSH →

Large, white balls composed of tiny florets, bloom in spring. Lovely 3-lobed leaves turn shades of bronze and purple in fall. Desirable for lawn specimens and corner plantings. 2-yr., blooming size, each 80c.

AMERICAN WONDER LEMON

Grows Lemons Indoors on Small Plants

Sometimes offered as Ponderosa Lemon. The most unique plants ever offered for indoor culture. Covered with waxy white flowers several times a year. Flowers are followed by large Lemons often weighing a pound. 15- to 18-in. plants, 2-yr.-old, each \$1.50.

VINES SILVER LACE VINE

Looks like a picture in a fairy-tale book with its myriads of snowy white clusters of dainty blossoms. Blooms from summer until fall and is one of the fastest growing vines. The foliage is perfectly clean; insects do not bother it. Prefers a sunny location. Will grow 15 to 20 feet the first year after planting; clings to any support. Used extensively for covering unsightly buildings, barns and walls. 2-yr., field-grown, 80c each; 2 for \$1.50; 4 for \$2.90.

BOSTON IVY

(Ampelopsis Veitchii)

The best known and most popular of climbing plants. Very attractive, 3-lobed glossy green leaves. A rapid grower after established; clings to any surface. Will thrive in sunny or shady locations. Foliage turns scarlet in the fall. Valuable for wall coverings, tree trunks and posts. 2-yr., field-grown vines, 80c each; 2 for \$1.50; 4 for \$2.90.

GOLDFLAME HONEYSUCKLE

Beautiful flower clusters, as large as your hand, cover the vines from June until frost. Curved petals and long stamens; brilliant rose-red outside and gold inside. Lovely for cutting. May be trimmed as vine, shrub or low hedge. Blooms profusely year after year; requires little care. 2-yr., field-grown plants, 90c each; 2 for \$1.70; 4 for \$3.20, postpaid..

BABY EVERGREENS

Set these sturdy, transplanted evergreens in your garden for 2 or 3 years, and you will have trees that will be worth 10 times what you will pay us for them. You be the nurseryman.

Heavy Rooted Transplants

Variety	Size Inches	Each	3	10	100
Pfitzer Juniper	6-8	\$0.75	\$2.10	\$5.95	\$49.00
Fastigiata Juniper	6-8	.75	2.10	5.95	49.00
Mugho					
Pine, Spread	4-6	.75	2.10	5.95	49.00
Upright Yew	6-8	.85	2.40	6.95	59.00
Spreading Yew	6-8	.85	2.40	6.95	59.00
Globe					
Arbor-Vitae	6-8	.75	2.10	5.95	49.00
Pyramidal					
Arbor-Vitae	6-8	.75	2.10	5.95	49.00
Spiny Greek					
Juniper	6-8	.75	2.10	5.95	49.00
Colorado					
Blue Spruce	6-8	.75	2.10	5.95	49.00



20% DISCOUNT
Until Feb. 5

15% DISCOUNT
Until Mar. 5

10% DISCOUNT
Until Apr. 5

Balance of Season
NET



BLACK HILLS SPRUCE

This is the hardiest of all the Spruce. Symmetrical, compact and bushy habit of growth. No wide open spaces. Foliage varies from green to a bluish tint. Often sold for Colorado Blue. Rather dwarf and slow growing. We offer 3-yr.-old trees, 12 in. tall, bushy, for \$1.00 each.



DOORSTEP PLANTING

6 DISTINCTIVE COLORFUL
EVERGREENS FOR ONLY

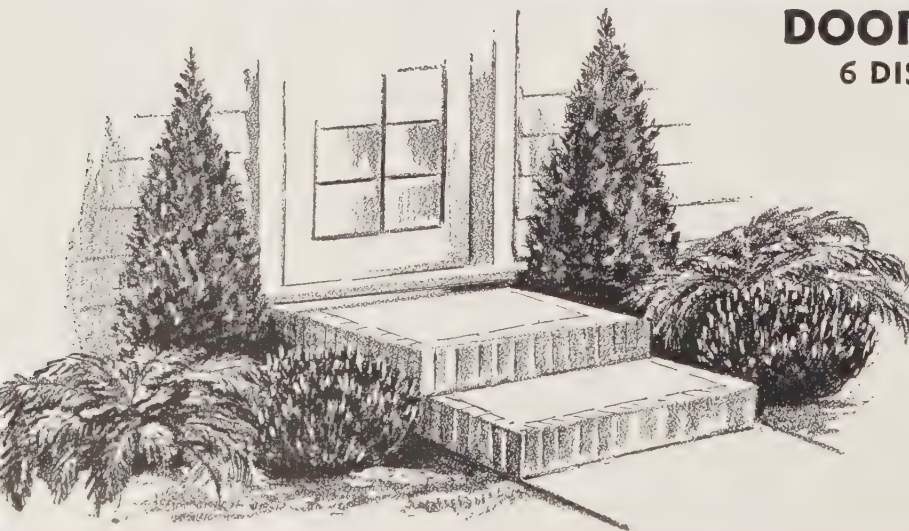
\$19.95

NO DISCOUNT

This planting will fit just about anyone's doorstep.

- 2 Pyramidal Arbor-Vitae. 2/3 ft. tall, bushy.
- 2 Hardy Pfitzer's Juniper. 2/3 ft. spread.
- 2 Globe Arbor-Vitae. Dwarf. 12/15 inches across.

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GRAPE VINES

INTERLAKEN SEEDLESS GRAPE

This is just about the last word on a seedless, skinless table Grape. The nearest to the California seedless Grape, and still hardy as an Oak. Stands 20 below zero. Yellow in color when fully ripe. Skinless and absolutely seedless. Sweet as honey. Juicy. Ripens in late August. Vines vigorous, and bear heavy crops annually. No matter how many Grape vines you now have—one of these is a "must." Supply still limited. 2-yr.-old vines, \$2.50 each. **NO DISCOUNT.** Order early.

CONCORD

Concord is beyond a doubt the most popular blue Grape. More Concord are planted than all other varieties. It is the commercial table and wine variety. Concord is perfectly hardy, having stood 30 degrees below zero without injury. Does well on any soil, but makes the sweetest fruit on light sand that has been well fertilized. Bunches are large, compact and well shaped. Sweet and juicy. Vines grow fast, and bear young.

NIAGARA

This is the best all-around white Grape. It's sweet and juicy. Hardy and dependable. Tangy Muscat-like flavor. Can be used as many ways as Concord and Fredonia.

CACO

This is the new quick-growing, young-bearing, delicious, sweet, red Grape that is so popular. It has no equal as a home-use table Grape. It has a peculiar characteristic found in no other Grape, in that it is rich in flavor. Its deep, wine-red color is so pleasing to the eye. A vine full of these rich red beauties is a sight.

DELAWARE

This is that red, sweet miniature Grape in big demand for wine making, as well as table use.

CONCORD, NIAGARA, CACO and DELAWARE PRICES:

2-yr.-old Strong Plants—Ready to Bear
35c each; 3 for \$1.00; Any 6 for \$1.85.



Interlaken Seedless Grape

BLUE HYDRANGEA

A rare plant of exquisite beauty, which will produce a fine crop of glorious blue flowers measuring 6 to 10 inches across. A few old rusty nails placed in the hole as you plant will assure them to bloom blue and stay blue. Or a teaspoonful of aluminum sulphate will do the trick also. **Prices:** 2-yr.-old, field-grown plants, each \$1.50; 2 for \$2.75.

GOLDEN MUSCAT

This new hardy California yellow Grape can now be grown anywhere, because it's hardy enough. Berries large, and form a big compact bunch that is very attractive. Quality is of the best, fruit being meaty with the Muscat aroma. **Prices:** 2-year-old, No. 1 vines, \$1 10 each; 3 for \$3.00.

3-yr.-old, \$1.50 each.



Blue Hydrangea

GORGEOUS NEW ASTILBE

ASTILBE GRANATA

This brilliant Astilbe produces literally masses of plummy spires of bright red. A fibrous root sends up enormous stems to a height of about 20 inches, each stem topped with a gorgeously colored plume of red. As roots age stems become more and more numerous and more flower plumes appear. **Nice 2-yr. roots, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.**



RED FLOWERING PEACH

Symmetrical spreading tree growing to a height of about 20 feet. The thousands of miniature Roses which blossom early in the spring before the leaves appear present a vision of loveliness against the new green of an early spring lawn. An outstanding ornamental in any planting. Ideal as a specimen plant, or fine for group plantings. 4-5 ft., \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.95; 4 for \$7.50.





Hydrangea P. G.

SHRUBS FOR BEAUTY & PLEASURE

See Page 19 for
Full Description
And Prices.



Mock Orange, Virginal



Persian
Lilac



Spirea Froebeli

COLLECTION H

One of Each of the 8 Fine Shrubs,
18-24 inch, 2-yr.-old, For Only

\$4.49

No Discount - A \$6.60 Value



Scarlet Flowering Quince



Red
Barberry

Forsythia



Weigela Rosea



SHRUBS

HYDRANGEA P. G.

Flowers are extra large, white at first, turning to a pretty pinkish purple, and later on in the fall to a perfect bronze. Fine winter bouquet. Blooms July to October. Bloom this year. **Price: 18-24 in., strong plants, each 95c; 2 for \$1.75.**

PERSIAN LILAC

A dwarf variety with slender, arching branches. A more profuse bloomer than the common, and does not sprout from the roots. Desirable for grouping with other shrubs. Makes a beautiful hedge when planted 2 feet apart and trimmed to desired height. **Prices: Strong, 2-3 ft. plants, each 95c; 2 for \$1.80; 10 for \$8.00.**

NEW! FORSYTHIA

LARGER, BRILLIANT YELLOW BLOOMS FOR EARLIEST COLOR

A spectacular new Forsythia which bears such masses of so much larger blooms than older varieties that a mature plant in full bloom in early spring is an almost unbelievable sight. The brilliant large yellow florets completely cover the branches, giving the effect of a giant sunburst. Canes grow erect with gracefully drooping tips. Very hardy in all sections of the country and thrives and grows vigorously in ordinary soil. **Nice 2-yr., blooming size plants, 85c each; 3 for \$2.25.**

DOUBLE VIRGINAL MOCK ORANGE

PHILADELPHUS, VIRGINAL

Blooms throughout the season. Without question one of the most beautiful of the shrubs. Single flowers on one-year wood; double flowers on two-year-wood. Grows 6 to 8 feet in height and is a valuable addition to any shrub group. Blooms with single flowers on new growth all summer. **18-24 in., 85c each; 3 for \$2.25.**

WEIGELA ROSEA

Satisfactory and Useful in All Shrub Plantings

One of the finest of the family. Tall and vigorous growing with abundant deep pink flowers in June. Occasional blooms the balance of the summer. Will reach 7 to 8 feet in height.

Excellent shrub for use in the shrub border and also desirable for use in the foundation planting about the home. **2-year, blooming size, 95c each; 3 for \$2.50.**

RED DOGWOOD

(Cornus Florida Rubra)

Lovely red flowered Dogwood, that blooms so early in the spring, on gracefully shaped trees. Will grow in shade, in dry or wet soil. **Price: 2-3 ft. trees (balled in peat), each \$3.50.**

WHITE DOGWOOD

(Cornus Florida Plena)

Beautiful, large, snow-white flowers early in the spring. Grows well in shade or open sunlight. Dry or wet soil. Not fussy at all. **Price: 2-3 ft. trees, (balled in peat), each \$2.00.**

RED BARBERRY

Same as green Barberry except that the foliage is bright red. Stays red all summer and followed by red berries in the fall. Plant 18 inches apart. Fine to plant near or around evergreens to discourage dogs. **Price: 15-18 in., strong plants, each 60c; 3 for \$1.75.**

SINGLE SCARLET FLOWERING QUINCE

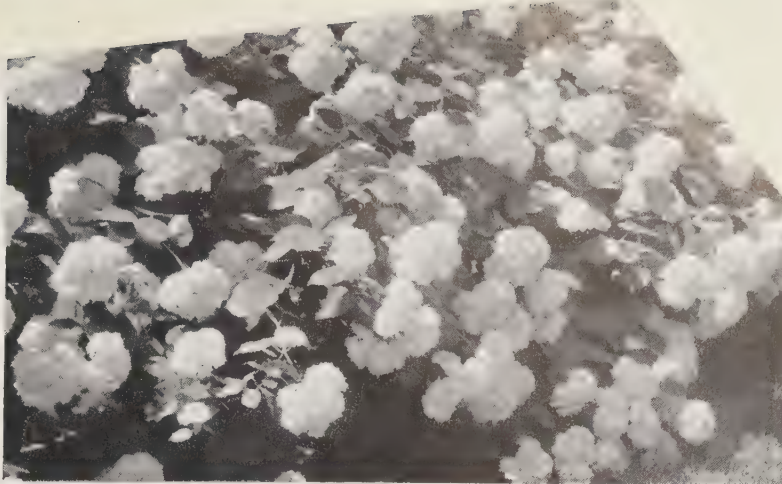
(Cydonia Japonica Rubra)

Loads of bright scarlet-red flowers with golden stamens, charmingly arranged all along stems in early spring. Foliage is green tinged maroon and very interesting. A medium height shrub. Also makes a hardy, dense hedge. Small, fragrant Quinces make delicious jelly. Rich in pectin. **Prices: Strong, 18-24 in. plants, each 75c; 3 for \$2.10.**

SPIREA FROEBELI

RED FOLIAGE IN SPRING

Large flat clusters of deep pink flowers nearly all summer make this variety especially good for nearly all planting. Dwarf in habit and fine for inner border work. Will get about 30 inches high. **70c each; 3 for \$2.00.**



HYDRANGEA A. G.

(Hills of Snow)

This is the snowball type Hydrangea. Large blooms in June and last all summer. Will grow in shade as well as sunlight. **Prices: Large, 18-24 in. plants, ready to bloom, each \$1.10; 2 for \$2.00.**

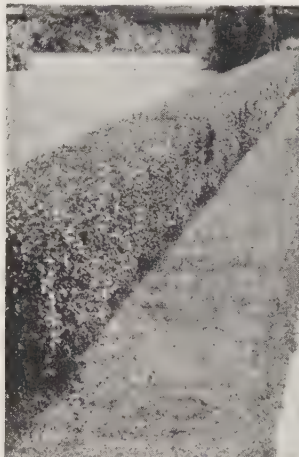
SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI

One of the most common but still one of the most beautiful of all shrubs. So easy to grow. Early in the spring the leafless branches will be colored with tiny snow-white blooms drooping gracefully to the ground. Often called Bridal Wreath. We offer strong, field-grown plants in 18-24 inch size. Best size to plant. Will bloom this year. **Prices: 3-year-old, 18-24 inch, each 60c; 3 for \$1.75; 6 for \$3.00; 10 for \$4.00; 25 for \$9.00.**



RED FLOWERING BUSH HONEYSUCKLE

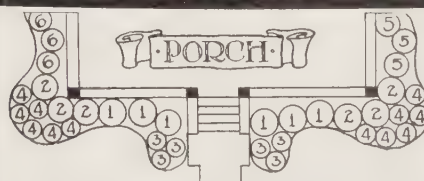
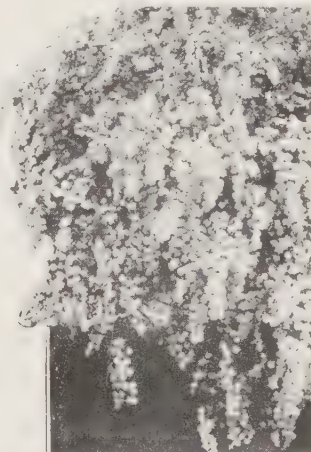
A remarkable shrub because of its deep green foliage, its hardiness and its free blooming habit. All the fine qualities of the bush Honeysuckle plus a distinctly new color of blooms. The photograph above cannot do justice to the beauty of this shrub. It thrives in most any location or in most any type of soil. When it is in full bloom it is literally studded with glowing rosy red flowers of most exquisite fragrance. Mature height 8 feet. **80c each; 3 for \$2.10.**



HARDY PRIVET HEDGE

(Amur River North)

Easiest to grow of the Privets. Very hardy. Thrives under unfavorable planting conditions. Glossy green leaves. Clusters of white flowers followed by berries. Trim to desired height and shape any time during the summer. Leave untrimmed for foundation and screen plantings. Set bushes 9 to 12 inches apart. For very wide hedge, plant two rows, alternating the plants. Well branched and well rooted bushes. **18-24 in., 10 for \$3.00; 25 for \$6.00; 50 for \$11.00; 100 for \$20.00.**



LANDSCAPE SPECIAL

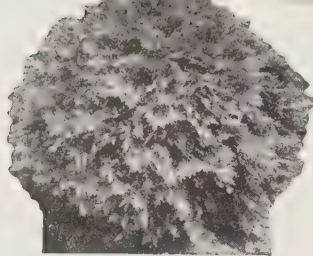
Here is a sketch of an "ALL SHRUB" planting for your home. This will dress up your place and make it worth \$150.00 more. This plan is for any ordinary house that is from 30 to 45 feet across the front. Plants in this collection can be spaced to fit your house. We have selected just the right kind and colors. Also placed them in their proper order according to growing habits. Follow key in planting them. All will be labeled so you know where they go.

Key	How Many	HERE IS THE KEY Variety	Size	Worth
1	6	Double Mock Orange, Virginal	18-24 in.	\$4.50
2	6	Forsythia, Golden Bell	18-24 in.	4.50
3	6	Red Barberry	15-18 in.	3.50
4	12	Crimson-Red Dwarf Spirea	18-24 in.	8.00
5	3	Weigela	18-24 in.	2.50
6	3	Red Tartarian Honeysuckle	18-24 in.	2.10

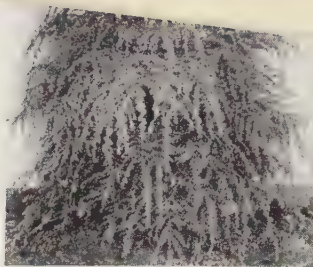
36 Fine Large Shrubs. Cat. List Price \$25.10

ALL FOR \$15.00 ONLY

NO DISCOUNT



Globe
Arbor-Vitae



Hemlock (Semi-Spreading)



Spiny Greek Juniper

EVERGREENS

GLOBE ARBOR-VITAE

Naturally globe-shaped, shrubby type with broad, green, fan-shaped leaflets. Grows 3 feet tall; light pruning keeps it shapely. Fine for doorway planting, border and corner groups. **Each**
12-15 in. across \$3.00

HEMLOCK

Semi-Spreading

The most graceful of all Evergreens. Will do well in partial shade and even make a good showing in heavy shade. Grows in full sun, too. Ideal Evergreen to plant if your home has a shady front. Foliage is a fine feathery green, and can either grow naturally or be sheared. Likes plenty of moisture. 2-3 ft. tall, bushy, \$4.00 each.

FASTIGIATA JUNIPER

The New Columnar Juniper

Similar to Irish Juniper in foliage and color but grows tightly compact and columnar. The last word in Evergreens for doorways and formal effect. We have a nice stock of these in 18-inch size, the nicest size for transplanting, and offer them at:

18-24 inch	Each
2- 3 feet	\$2.75
3- 4 feet	4.00
4- 5 feet	5.00
	6.00

PYRAMIDAL ARBOR-VITAE

For foundation or group planting in all landscape work. Retains the flat foliage and lovely bright green color at all seasons. Grows compact and develops naturally into perfect pyramidal form. May be sheared for strictly formal effects.

18-24 in.	Each
3- 4 ft.	\$2.50
4- 5 ft.	5.00
	6.00

PFITZER JUNIPER

The well-known, gracefully spreading, low-growing Evergreen with sweeping fronds of fresh green foliage. Very hardy and does well in sun or shade. Quite rapid in growth when once established. The spreading branches should be kept sheared to form a dense mass of foliage. Allow tips to grow to size desired and then keep in bounds by trimming.

12-18 inch	Each
18-24 inch	\$3.00
2- 3 feet	4.50
	6.50

SPREADING YEW

Beautiful Yew of moderate bushy growth, usually grows wider than tall. Branches from the bottom, developing into a bush form. Spreading branches densely clothed with short, dull green leaves. The most attractive spreading Evergreen. Will grow in semi-shade.

PRICES: 12-15 in. spread, \$2.50 each. 18-24 in. spread, \$5.00 each. 2-3 ft. spread, \$6.00 each.

SPINY GREEK JUNIPER

(Stricta)

For a semi-dwarf pyramidal Evergreen, Juniper Stricta is unsurpassed. Foliage is a silvery blue, very compact and Cedar-like. Reaches about 4 feet in this section, and slightly larger in the South; not quite as large in the North.

12-18 inch	Each
	\$2.25

18-24 inch	Each
	\$3.00

PORCH



LOOK!

Here is an Evergreen planting sketch that will fit just about 60% of the homes, both new and older. If your house is from 30 to 45 feet across the front, you can use this planting. Space trees to fit your size of house. We have selected all fine nursery grown stock from our own fields of 40,000 Evergreens, just the right size and shape growing habit. This planting will improve your property \$250.00. Place your order now, and we will ship at just the proper time this fall. Trees will be packed for you within an hour after they are dug, and on their way to you the same day.

HERE IS THE KEY TO THE PLANTING

Key	How Many	Variety	Size	Worth
1	2	Fastigiata Juniper	2-3 ft.	\$ 8.00
2	2	Pyramidal Arbor-Vitae	3-4 ft.	10.00
3	4	Hemlock	2-3 ft.	16.00
4	2	Pfitzer's Juniper	18-24 in. across	9.00
5	4	Spiny Greek Juniper	18-24 in.	12.00
6	2	Globe Arbor-Vitae	12-15 in. across	6.00

16 Beautiful Specimen Evergreens

Worth \$61.00

NOTE.—These same Evergreens in 6 to 8-in. transplanted trees "BABY EVERGREENS" for \$8.95. These should be grown a year or two in your garden before placing them around your house.

ALL FOR ONLY **\$49.95**

Pyramidal
Arbor-Vitae

Pfitzer
Juniper

Spreading
Yew

PATENTED ROSES

CRIMSON GLORY

Enormous double blooms of deep vivid crimson. Long, pointed buds which open slowly. Large, sturdy bushes produce an abundance of extremely fragrant blooms. Foliage plentiful and healthy. A real Rose in every sense of the word and a valuable addition to every garden. 2-Yr.-Old, No. 1, Field-Grown Plants, \$1.50 each.



COLLECTION I

1 Countess Vandal
1 Crimson Glory
2-Yr., Field-Grown
ONLY \$2.39
NO DISCOUNT

COUNTESS VANDAL

Long pointed bud, upright stems, color combination can hardly be described, being pink, copper, gold and salmon. So beautiful and fragrant. 2-yr.-old. field-grown plants, \$1.50 each.

Peace

THE ARISTOCRAT OF CHOICE ROSES

(Plant Pat. No. 591.) Peace was the AARS Winner in 1946, and is still judged the greatest Rose ever introduced and patented. Magnificent, large, very double blooms ranging from deep yellow in bud to cream-yellow with cerise-pink edging as the petals unfold. Lasts for days in full bloom. Bushes make a sturdy growth, with rich green leathery leaves. Plants in bloom from June to freezing weather in the fall. Keep well after cutting and will perfume the whole house. It's No. 1 Rose in every garden. 5-inch blooms are common. See engraving of PEACE flower at right. Printer's ink cannot bring out the effect of a golden sunset reflected on its pure, delicate surface. PRICES—2-Yr.-Old, No. 1 Plants, \$2.50 each; 2 for \$5.00; 3 for \$6.60; 10 for \$22.00.

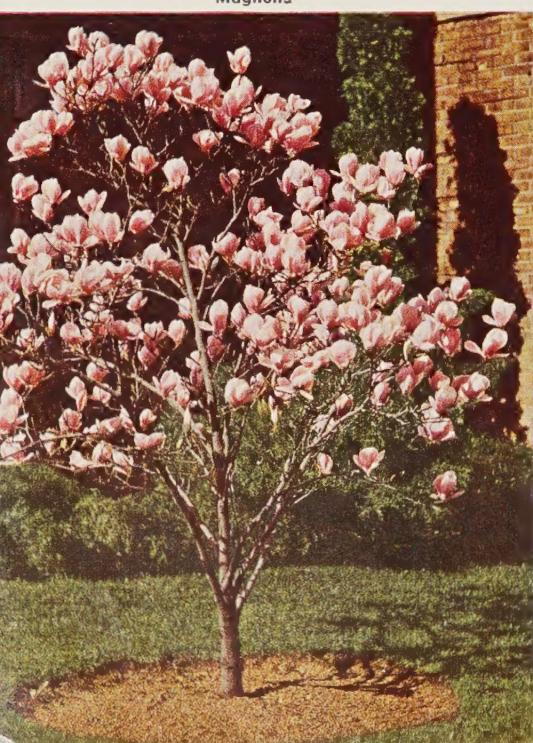




Hopa Flowering Crab



Mountain Ash



Magnolia

20% DISCOUNT
Until Feb. 5
15% DISCOUNT
Until Mar. 5
10% DISCOUNT
Until Apr. 5
Balance of Season
NET

CRIMSON KING MAPLE

(Plant Patent No. 735)

Truly the best Red Maple grown. A great improvement over Schwedler's purple leaf Maple. In the spring the foliage is a much richer red and Crimson King carries this deep red foliage through the entire season. Very hardy and easy to grow. Reaches the height of approximately 50 feet at maturity. **4-5 ft. trees, \$4.95 each. 5-6 ft. trees, \$5.95 each.**



Crimson King Maple

MOUNTAIN ASH

Beautiful shade tree with narrow leaves formed in pinnate shape and arranged on frondlike branches. Huge clusters of orange berries, which remain throughout summer and into winter, add to the attractiveness of this fine tree. Grows to a height of 40 feet, forming a dense head. **5-6 ft. trees, \$2.35 each; 2 for \$4.50; 4 for \$8.50.**

HOPA

FLOWERING CRAB

Beautiful bright red flower buds opening into fragrant pink flowers are produced on this popular low growing ornamental in early spring. Small red Apples are borne in midsummer, and make very fine jelly. Attractive foliage is maroon colored. Here is a tree that is colorful and decorative at all seasons. **5-6 ft. trees, \$1.95 each.**

BECHTEL CRAB

DOUBLE FLOWERING

One of the prettiest sights in early spring! Myriads of very double pink blossoms appear as tiny rosebuds, and completely cover the branches of this fine ornamental. Trees grow to a height of 12 feet and may be trimmed as desired. Flowers have a delightful appleblossom fragrance. **Prices: 2-3 ft., \$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.90.**

MAGNOLIA SOULANGEANA

Large Lily-like flowers of creamy white-rose-pink. This is the most popular of the hardy Magnolias and is one of the first trees to bloom. The delightfully fragrant flowers appear before the leaves. Trees grow 12 to 15 ft. Attractive rich waxy green foliage. Likes acid soil. **3-ft. trees, ready to bloom, \$4.95 each.**

Double Red Althea

Blooms in August when other flowers are so scarce. See picture below. A Red Althea flower. If you are looking for bright color in your landscape, here is the answer. Bright red, and as double as a Rose. May be used for a hedge or tall growing background. We offer 2-3 ft. strong plants. **Price: 75c each; 3 for \$2.10; 10 for \$6.00.**



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PRESIDENT LINCOLN

This is the only true blue Lilac that we know of. Single, very fragrant and a sure bloomer. This is a French hybrid. Panicles 8 to 2 in. long, thickly massed with single blue florets. **18-24 in. strong plants, \$1.95 each.**





Stromer's

GLADIOLUS

FOR BETTER COLORS and TALLER SPIKES

RAINBOW MIXED GLADIOLUS

This Rainbow Mixture is made up of 20 choice varieties and of every color in the rainbow. Not a poor one in the lot. It's just as easy for us to grow bulbs of choice varieties as poor ones, and you will be delighted when you see the tall stalks loaded with 8 to 10 blooms on each at the same time.

We have over 100,000 bulbs of all sizes to offer you this year so we are offering them to you at less than wholesale prices. All sizes offered to you will bloom this year.

Plant our bulbs. **SAVE MONEY.** Have flowers like these on this page. All our Gladiolus bulbs are scientifically grown for bulbs and not left to bloom. (Result—stronger bulbs). Bulbs will come dusted ready for you to plant. State inspected and healthy.

PRICES	
BLOOMING SIZE BULBS	
12 for	\$ 0.85
25 for	1.15
50 for	2.00
100 for	3.15
250 for	7.40
500 for	14.50
1000 for	28.00
JUMBO SIZE BULBS	
12 for	\$ 1.25
25 for	2.00
50 for	3.00
100 for	5.50
250 for	12.35
500 for	23.00
1000 for	45.00
EXTRA GIANT SIZE BULBS	
Will measure 2 to 3 inches across. Will send up 3 to 5 flower spikes.	
6 for	\$1.00
12 for	1.75
25 for	3.00



REGAL LILY

The favorite of all Lilies. They are hardy. Plant in spring, and do not need to be dug. Will come up year after year. Large white flowers with yellow throat, from 3 to 8 on a single stem. Fragrant. We offer 7- to 8-inch circumference bulbs. Each 50c; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$1.65; 12 for \$3.20.

HARDY AZALEA MOLLIS

Michigan Grown

Grow our fine Azaleas just like any other shrub. These do not require a special acid soil, and will grow equally well in the sun as in shade or part shade. Perfectly hardy, and do not require any winter protection. Stands 15 to 20 degrees below zero. These being hybrids come in mixed colors only. Colors range from orange to orange-red, and many colors in between. All plants will have flower buds and are old enough to bloom the first year you set them out. Bloom late May and June.

	Each	3	10	25
3-yr. old, 12-18 in. plants	\$1.50	\$3.25	\$11.00	\$24.50
4-yr. old, 18-24 in. plants	2.50	7.00	19.95	39.95

SOUTH MICHIGAN NURSERY

New Buffalo,
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